DRAFT ELIGIBLES

FROM SHIPYARDS

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TO GO OVERSEAS Distress Radio Declares Victim of

Sinking Able-Bodied Workers to Be Released for Army Serv-

PART OF NEW PROGRAM

Men Taken to Be Replaced by Those Subject to "Work or Fight" Order

ice Abroad

Able-bodied draft eligibles now enjoying deferred classification because they are employed in carrying out the ship building program will be released for active service overseas unless privileged for other reasons, such as dependency.

a high draft official. "This is my understanding of the neregulations," said Major W. G._Murdock State draft official, when asked this afternoon if he had received any official

notice of the proposed change. "It is my information that this provision will be included in the new deaft regulations goon to be issued by Provost General Crowder," said C. Avres Swayze, representing local draft board No. 28, which recommended the change to the Federal draft officials.

Part of "Work-Or-Fight" Plea It is planned that the released men be replaced in the shipyards by men in deferred classifications who are affected by the new "work-or-fight" order, which compels them to "pitch ni" and help the

at an essential occupation. Thousands of men in Phi'adelphia will be affected by the new plan which is to be incorporated in the new regulations Marshal General Crowder within the here and in the capital point out that removal of these then from the special classification allotted to the workers of the emergency fleet profram is another move to bolster up the number of men in Class 1, which is expected to furnish the bulk of Unch

Sam's fighting forces against the Ger-Pressing Need is Cited.

The pressing need for men in Class I has wrought many changes in the draft situation relative to hundreds of thousands of eligibles, throughout the country, and draft officials say that no stone will be left unturned to muster in every available physicially qualified man of draft age without dependents to don thaki and hep General Pershing to pave the way to Berlin.

Only such shipyard employes as are essential to the program and can in

essential to the program and can in howise be replaced will be granted ex-emption from active duty by local bounds under the new regulations, according to draft officials. Laborers, unskilled ine-chanics, clerks, cooks, guards and many other classes of employes whose places can be filled by the "work-or-fight" men in deferred classes will be taken from the shipyards. The new regulations, it is said, will include also several other suggestions to add to the Class I quota. Decision to take such a step followed the suggestion made by members of

U-BOAT ATTACK REPORTED OFF

German Submarine Is

The appearance of a German submarines off the coast of Halifax was indicated today, when the captain of British steamer arriving here reported that last night his vessel picked up a distress radio that said a vessel at that point was being attacked by a U-boat. The message said that the ship was inking, but that all efforts were be ing made to reach land. The name of the victim or her exact position as not revealed, nor was the fact whether she was being shelled or had been tor-pedoed.

BEEFLESS MEALS OFF UNTIL JULY 13

The announcement came today from Provisional Lifting of Regulation to Prevent Large Stocks Spoiling

> A previsional lifting of the beefles meals order, recently promulgated by the food administration, until July 12 was announced this afternoon by Jay 'ooke, food administrator for Philadel-

distributors and danger of these stocks polling resulted in the order, which afwar program by employing their efforts

The order applies only to those di tributors with large stocks on hand and is not to be construed as meaning that other dealers may purchase large supplies, Mr. Cooke said.

Continuation of extreme conservation delphis is absolutely necessary, according to the god administrator, but the modification of the restriction order was made only giant crackers, Roman candles and other and peace to do away with the possibility of wast-dangerous explosives unless the purkept as long as is possible. The order does not relieve the private consumer

on started at the Spring Garden Inmen, obtained by the various draft were now in training at the ment of Justice agents.

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Harold Williams

New Coup to Consolidate

His Position

By HAROLD WILLIAMS

Litovsk, and the Affice are still besi-

adopt in regard to Russia. Kerensky's

crival is a timely reminder that we

may wait too long. We are certainly

siving the Germans ample opportunity

to overcome the very real difficulties

they had to meet in the disorganiza-

tion of the country, and the hostility

of the long-suffering population, which

Danger in Delay

Germany will in 1919 be in the position

Germans Print Rumors

to draw effectively for purposes of war

lies for help,

Less Than Dozen Apply Al- Indications That Enemy Plans probability, says a remieffic at note from though 1800 Shops Obtain

Police Must Enforce Orders on Fireworks

Licenses to Sell

to the police of the various police districts this afternoon; "Prohibit any person using night display fireworks texcept sparklers unless they have a United States

Government license. Take the names and address all persons using them and for vard same to Mayor's office.

"The lireworks designated in this order are Roman candles, skypinwheels. flowerpots rockets. red-light torches or powder, colored belly and mines

"Stop at once all dealers who are selling fireworks of any kind texcept sparklers) without a Govern ment license

"Take names and addresses of all calers who have been selling without permits and forward same to Mayor's office."

"co- exploit her conquest to the full, but Federal and city officials are operating to the utmost" in an effort to therein lies our opportunity and there-Fourth of July in the history of Phila- not in 1918 initiate some counter-action

giant crackers, Roman candles and other and peace upon the immense resources chaser presents a license, have been isfrom the present beef ration of one and fine to the minimum the use of these in Russia is a lamentable fact, of which

That there is a likelihood of the Govequiring electrical and wood work, and erament demanding a sworn statement these German aums to mandam a con-leg glong other mechanical lines. In from every dealer after the Fourth, dition of anarchy and paralysis in cen-found that they will be competent to showing the amount of stock on hand trail Russia. The time may come when found The ermment demanding a sworn statement these German aims to maintain a conback up the fighting men in France.
The army must have at least 200,000 before and after tomorrow, and to whom such men behind the fighting lines beside were made and if the purchasers were made and if the purchasers were made and if the purchasers were assigned to the institute also under the fighting lines beside were made and if the purchasers were assigned to the institute also under corporals were assigned to the lob of clearing up the cellars continuously before an after tomorrow, and to whom such men behind the fighting lines beside the purchasers agents may find it more this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who was charged with closing this "perpetual memorial." The younger Mr Eennett, in creating gunner who w afternoon of Chief Clerk Dalrymple, in thoment may be very near. a vigorous military training, and afternoon of Chief Clerk Dalrymple, in housed at the First Regiment Ar- the Rayor's office, who has charge of the issuance of permits for both the sale and purchase of explosives under emitted a perfect smoke curtain of in-

the Federal regulations of detecting violators of the law

with alleged irregularities in the Fifth Ward will be presented.

Draft Probe to "Fig Deep"

Before leaving this city last night to return to Washington, Colonel J. S. Easby-Smith, made strong emphasis of his intentions to "dig deep" into the draft muddle in this city. He asserts that charges published in newspapers or made by individuals to him or his assistants would be immediately sifted to the bottom.

No color, creed or polities will enter into the matter and the guilty will be punished," asserted Colonel Smith,
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VICTIM OF MINE,

Outrage and Tries to Shift

By the Associated Press Swaterdam, July

The sinking of the Bettish heightal ship, Llandovery Castle, gunounced b the British Admiralty to have been sento the bottom by an enemy submarine FEW BUY EXPLOSIVES GERMAN GRIP TIGHTENS off the Irish coast on June 27, with the probable less of more than 200 leves was due to her striking a British mine, in all Berlin received here today

"Like all similar assertions of the British Admiralty," the note reads "the assertion in this case that in Germa submarine was responsible for the fate of the Llandovery Castle, is also prob-Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger, ably incorrect. It appears from the later ound to be attributable to a Burish

ince the enslavement of Russia was mine. that a British mine sank the abroad the submarine. He safficers of the C-beat p-taisted

BENNETT FOUNDS hoping against hope, looks to the Al-JOURNALIST HOME Opponents of the idea of dispatching military nid to Russia seem not to have thoroughly grasped the central

fact that Russia, chaotic, distraught and helpless, is no longer independent; Will Provides Memorial that actually as well as potentially she Corporation, Which Is to is under the dominion of Germany. True, Germany has not been able to Continue Herald

make tomorrow the safest and most sane in is the danger of delay. If we do WANAMAKER EXECUTOR

By the Associated Press

The Allies have no alternative. Ger- of the New York Herald, and also the sued to all dealers in an effort to con- man military and political intervention New York Evening Telegram, are to a quarter pounds of clear beef per week per person. Mr. Cooke said.

Intensive training in war work has claimed two child victims and reports in Moscow, having, on the whole, served Mr. Bennett's will, filed here today for It was appropried today that of infractions of the Federal regula- the German purpose so far, exists on probate. Comprising the major portion of every house and every cave. tions are under investigation by Department of Justice agents.

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the capital Last week the German news agencies gulations.

ple said he had no incredible and preposterous rumor in reWanamaker, James Stillman and Euge formation that the Government would gard to events in Russia. They dragged Higgins, who are authorized, meanwhile, take this action, but was inclined to bethe suggestion made by members of Local Board No. 26 of this city, which notified General Crowder that it thought this would be a good way to meet the demands for fighting men. It was immediately embodied in the new regulations, according to draft officials.

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house receives, also, an annuity \$5000.

The call is strong, the appeal is to our humanity, to the power of our best ideals, and to the interests of civilization to save from destruction, and it is impossible to evade the military issue All suggestions that we should weave political incantations is collusion with those shadows of the night side of Germany, the Bolsheviki, or that we should

SOLDIER FINDS WIFE DEAD

U. S. DASH SUPERB American Victory FOE'S EXCUSE IN VAUX CAPTURE: GAIN 1000 YARDS

Most Important Military Operation Yet Achieved by Americans

VILLAGE VITAL TO FOR

Five Hundred Teutons Made Prisoner-Much War Booty Seized

By EDWIN L. JAMES Special Cable to Evening Public Ledger ENEMY STARTS With the American Army on the Marne July 3

In the most important military ope ations they have so far executed American troops captured the village of Vaux and the Bois de La Roche, west of Chateau-Thierry, and ad-vanced their lines on a front of four a sharp inward bend to The fight, much of which I wit nessed, gave eloquent tribute to the effected an operation with exclusively

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Vaux Vital to Germans

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James Gordon Bennett Memorial Home Germans and were certain to be their for New York Journalists' Corporation, refuge. On these maps every battery in memory of Mr. Bennett's father, who had a number of nouses to destroy squads under corporals were assigned. Prancis dated June 24.

r of the new-papers."

At noon the commander of the artificial Holiday Weather Is Forelery reported that Vaux was on fire, and

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Sweeping at Vaux By the United Press

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Postoffice at Philadelphia, Pas. Under the Act of March 2, 1879.

Washington, July 3 American forces wear Chateau

meeted today The Americans, in capturing Vaux, the Bois de la Roche and he neighboring wood, advanced or mile and half front to a depth of American aviators participated in be beilliant assault. Three failed a ceture to the lines. Pershing

DRIVE IN RUSSIA

German-Finnish Campaign in Murmansk Region Gets Under Way SOME FIRING REPORTED

By the Associated Press

London, July 3

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By the United Press

Washington, July

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ITALIANS' NEW VICTORY

Engagement in Monte Grappa Region Strengthens Diaz in the Mountains

By the United Press

Paris, July A. In local operations between Ribecourt and Solwood the French advanced nearly haif a mile on a two-mile Cont. talilng 220 prisoners.

Another German counter-attack on the newly won American positions at The German-Pinnish campaign against Vaux, west of Chatcau Thierry, failed the Murmanck region, in northern Rus- yesterday, the French War Office an-

"West of Chateau Thierry a Ger-

German attempts failed northeast of Mocel-Haute, in Alsace.

1000-YARD ADVANCE

By the Associated Press Washington, July 3 General Pershing's communique con-rning Monday's operation which won

Yaux follows:

"Section A — Yesterday afternoon in the Chateau Thierry region our infantry, with effective co-operation from our batteries, stormed the village of Vaux, the Bos de la Roche and the neighboring woods. The attack was made in co-operation with the French on our right, who advanced their line on Hill 204. Our own to still the control of naval forces are guarding the railroad

month to nearly 1200.
"The material captured by our troops during yesterday afternoon's operation includes treach motters and more than sixty machine guns. The day passed quietly at other points.
"American attarion squadrons co-operated with our troops in the action northwest of Chateau Thierry. Three of our aviators did not return."

WON IN LOCAL ATTACK

HAIG YIELDS GROUND

By the Associated Press German trhops, last night, after heavy preparatory shelling, attacked on the north Phardy front.

They recupiured the greater part of the graind taken by the British in their leval operation near Bouzincourt, north of Albert on Sanday evening, the War office announced today.

Several raids were carried out by the British in the neighborhood of Boydies, Moycomeville and Merts, in which prisoners were taken.

Last slight, after heavy bombardment, the enemy attacked and recap-London, July 3.

said.
"Successful rable were carried out by us in the neighborhood of Boyelles, Mixenneylles and Merris, a few prison-ers being taken in each case."

BRITISH IN DAY

DOWN 42 PLANES London, July 3

British airmen on Monday disposed of ferry-two tierman airplanes and three balloors, according to the official report on aerial operations issued last night. Of the airplanes twenty-five were destroyed, fifteen were driven down out of control and two landed behind the British lines, where their occupants were captured.

GERMANY READY FOR PEACE

Empress Declares Nation Has Plainly Manifested Her Desire By the Associated Press

The Hague, July 3.—Germany repeatedly has manifested unmistakably her readiness for peace, which however, never has been entertained by the opposi-

TEUTON PACIFISTS URGE PEACE-BASIS CONFERENCE

AMSTERDAM, July 3. - German and Austro-Hungarian pacifists, including Professors Lammarsch and Quidde, says the Vossische Zeitung, of Berlin, have written asking the Interparliamentary Union in Christiania, Nrway, to suggest to belligerent Parliaments that three members from each assembly be chosen by secret ballot to meet in conference in a neutral country to discuss the basis of a general peace.

100,000 GERMANS HAVE SPANISH INFLUENZA

AMSTERDAM, July 3. - One hundred thousand cases of "Spanish influenza" are reported in Germany. There are 25,000 cases in Berlin alone and the hospitals there are full.

DUTCH CABINET TO QUIT TOMORROW

resignation of its members in the hands of Queen Wilhelmina

ROTTERDAM, July 3 .- The Dutch Cabinet will place the

temorrow, says the Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant.

The Bolsheviki were useful to the Germans for the purpose of destruction. There is no magic by which we can make them useful for our purposes of reconstruction, and mere economic assistance to a people who are being robbed of their last rag and their last crust of bread by a hungry and pitiless enemy is simply a gratuitous and sultedial method of breaking down our own blockade.

Economic and every other kind of assistance is a necessary corollary to the dispatch of troops, but it cannot be substituted for military action, We have in Continued an Page Two, Column One

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